

Reaction of phosphorus pentachloride with esters of oxamic acid. Amides of alkoxydichloroacetic acids.

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Equimolar amounts of  $\text{PCl}_5$  and aliphatic esters of oxamic acid yield the amides of alkoxydichloroacetic acids, but the aromatic oxamates do not yield the corresponding aryloxydichloroacetamides, yielding only the  $\text{ArOCCl}_2\text{CONHPCl}_3$ , possibly owing to the difficulty associated with the addn. of  $\text{PCl}_4^+$  ion to the O atom. To 25 ml.  $\text{CCl}_4$  and 0.1 mole Me oxamate there was added at 8-10° 0.1 mole powd.  $\text{PCl}_5$  and after 3 hrs. when HCl evolution subsided there formed the ppt. of 60-45  $\text{MeOCCl}_2\text{CONH}_2$ , m. 95-6°, which is but slowly attacked by  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  at room temp. In storage this slowly loses  $\text{HCl}$ , the process being accelerated by elevated temp. Treated with 2 moles  $\text{PhONa}$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  this gave 70-3%  $(\text{PhO})_2(\text{MeO})\text{CCONH}_2$ , m. 157-9°. Similarly was prep'd. 70%  $\text{EtOCCl}_2\text{CONH}_2$ , m. 81-3°(from  $\text{CCl}_4$ ). Similarly was prep'd. 90%  $\text{BuOCCl}_2\text{CONH}_2$ , m. 57-9°(from petr. ether), and 90% iso- $\text{BuOCCl}_2\text{CONH}_2$ , m. 76-8°. On heating these amides yield  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{HCl}$  and solid unidentified products. The ease of decoupl. decreases with increased size of the alkoxy group, which fact makes the isolation of Me and Et numbers a difficult task.

Diesters of aromatic acylamidophosphoric acids.

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Addn. of 0.01 mole  $\text{BzNHPOCl}_2$  to 0.03 mole  $\text{MeONa}$  in 15 ml.  $\text{MeOH}$  with cooling gave after refluxing 15 min., filtration and acidification with  $\text{HCl}$  87%  $\text{BzNHP}(OMe)_2$ , m. 116-8°(from 20%  $\text{EtOH}$ ). Similarly  $p\text{-MeC}_6\text{H}_4\text{ONa}$  in dioxane gave 25%  $\text{BzNHP}(\text{OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{Me}-p)_2$ , m. 146-7°(from eq.  $\text{EtOH}$ ). Similarly were prep'd.: di-p-chlorophenyl ester, 28.5%, m. 131-3°; di-p-nitrophenyl ester, m. 151-2°. To 0.01 mole  $\text{PhONa}$  was rapidly added 0.033 mole  $\text{BzN:PCl}_3$  in 80 ml.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  and after refluxing 15 min. with stirring the mixture was refluxed 5 min. with 25 ml.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , and the org. layer after washing with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  gave 65.1%  $\text{BzNHP(OPh)}_2$ , m. 147-9°; similarly were prep'd.: di-p-cresyl ester, 52.4%, m. 146-7°(identical with above described); 55.6% di-1-naphthyl ester, m. 195-6°; 75.6% di-p-chlorophenyl ester, m. 131-3°. Similar reaction gave 34.4%  $p\text{-ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CONHP(O-Ph)}_2$ , m. 142-3°(the reaction is best run in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  to lessen the formation of  $p\text{-chlorobenzonitrile}$ ); similarly was prep'd. 31.3% di-p-cresyl ester, m. 139-40°; ~~di-1-naphthyl ester, m. 195-6°~~; ~~similarly was prep'd. 69.7% 30.5% di-p-chlorophenyl ester, m. 175-6°~~; similarly were prep'd.: 90.7%  $\text{BzNHP}-40^\circ$ , 74% di-p-chlorophenyl ester, m. 155-6°; 89.8%  $p\text{-O}_2\text{N-C}_6\text{H}_4\text{CONHPO(OPh)}_2$ , m. 151-2°; 54.6% di-p-cresyl ester, m. 165-7°; ~~di-1-naphthyl ester, m. 175-6°~~; 90.7%  $\text{BzNHP}-$

$(OC_6H_4NO_2-O)_2$ , m.154-5°; 66% di-nitrophenyl ester, m.151-2°; 62% p-Cl $C_6H_4-$ CONHPO( $OC_6H_4NO_2-O$ )<sub>2</sub>, m.179-80°; 57.8% di-p-nitrophenyl ester, m.167-8°; 84.6% p- $O_2NC_6H_4CONHPO(OC_6H_4NO_2-O)_2$ , m.178-9°; 81.7% di-p-nitrophenyl ester, m.179-80°. Addn. of 0.025 mole  $SnCl_4$  to 0.1 mole NaOMe in MeOH gave after concn. in vacuo and treatment with aq.HCl 56.6% BaNHPO(OMe)<sub>2</sub>, m.116-8°. Similarly were prep'd.: 90.9% p-Cl $C_6H_4CONHPO(OMe)_2$ , m.125-6°; and 87.3% p- $O_2NC_6H_4CONHPO(OMe)_2$ , m.153-4°.

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Trichlorophosphoacetyl, trichloroisophosphoacetyl and their derivatives.

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Khim. 27, 3248-54(1957). Cf. this j. 27, 1080(1957).

It is proposed that substances of type  $\text{RC}(\text{O})\text{N}:\text{P}$  be named phosphoacetyl, and those of type  $\text{RC}(-)\text{:NP}(\text{O})$  be named isophosphoacetyl. Heating 0.1 mole  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCONH}_2$  and 0.105 mole  $\text{PCl}_3$  at 85-95° 20-5 min. until  $\text{HCl}$  evolution ceased, followed by addn. of petr.ether and allowing the mixture to stand 1 day at 0° gave 94%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCON:PCl}_3$ <sup>(I)</sup>, m.66-2°(from petr.ether), which heated to 195-200° gave 90%  $\text{POCl}_3$  and 91.8%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCH}_2$ , b.p.165-6°. Similarly was prep'd. (the reaction is run best in  $\text{CCl}_4$ ), 98.5%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CCON:PCl}_3$ , m.123-5°(from petr.ether). I with equimolar amount of dry  $\text{HCO}_2\text{H}$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  gave 99.4%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCONHPOCl}_2$ <sup>(II)</sup>, m.122-3°. This heated with equimolar amount of  $\text{PCl}_3$  15-20 min. at 135-40°, then freed of  $\text{POCl}_3$  in vacuo and treated at 0° with petr. ether gave after 1 day 87.7%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClC}(\text{:NPOCl}_2)_2$ <sup>(III)</sup>, m.81-3°(from petr.ether). Similarly there was prep'd. 98%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CCONHPOCl}_2$ , m.128-30°(the reaction with  $\text{HCO}_2\text{H}$  is best run in  $\text{CCl}_4$ ), which on melting yields  $\text{POCl}_3$ ,  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CCN}$  and metaphosphoric acid; with  $\text{PCl}_3$  the reaction either yields  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CCN}$  or, at lower temp., fails to take place. Heating p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CONHCl}_2$  with 5% over equimolar amount of  $\text{PCl}_3$  at 125-30° 20-5 min. gave after removal of  $\text{POCl}_3$ , 76% III) p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CCl:NPOCl}_2$ <sup>(IV)</sup>, m.121-4°(from  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ -petr.ether); hydrolysis of this under a variety of conditions gave p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CH}_2$  only. I with 3 moles  $\text{NaOH}$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  gave 57.2%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCON:P}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_3$ , m.121-2°, which refluxed 8 min. with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  gave 84.2%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{C}(\text{OH})\text{CON:P}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_3$ , m.140-1°, which is devoid of titratable properties as an acid; heated with bases it yields only tar. II and 1- $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{ONa}$  similarly gave 49.7% glassy  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClC}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)\text{:NPO}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_2$ , m.42-7°, after treatment of the crude product in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  with 0.3M  $\text{NaOH}$  with ice cooling; treatment of the ester with bases yields tar. II and 1- $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{ONa}$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  reacted violently yielding 69.4%  $\text{Ph}_2\text{CClCONPO}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_2$ , m.168-70°, soluble in aq. alkalies.  $\text{HNO}_3$  and 3 moles  $\text{NaOH}$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  gave 99.8% p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CON:P}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_3$ <sup>(IV)</sup>, m.83-6° (boiling with  $\text{NaOH}$  gave an unidentified substance, m.140-3°)(Benz IX=p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CON:PCl}_3$ ). Similarly III gave 16.5% p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{C}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)\text{:NPO}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_2$ , m.147-8°, the low yield being caused by the need to wash the crude product with aq.  $\text{NaOH}$  with ice cooling in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  soln. IV kept 2 hrs. with 0.3M  $\text{NaOH}$  and  $\text{EtONa}$  gave after concn. and acidification with  $\text{HCl}$  80.3% p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4\text{CONPO}(\text{OC}_{10}\text{H}_7-1)_2$ , m.188-90°, also formed on similar hydrolysis of the isophospho isomer V.

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Dialkylamides of triaryloxyphosphorusulfuric acids and aromatic esters of  $N,N$ -dialkylsulfamido- $N'$ -phosphoric acids.

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To 0.06 mole finely powdered and thoroughly dried  $\text{PhNO}_2$  in 50 ml.  $C_6H_6$  was added at once 0.02 mole  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:PCl}_3$  in  $C_6H_6$  (exothermic reaction) and after 0.5 hr. on a steam bath the mixture was filtered and evapd. in vacuo yielding 91%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OPh)}_3$ , m. 88-90° (from EtOH). Similarly was prep'd. the  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, 94.6%, which was an oil. With use of some 10% excess RNH<sub>2</sub> there was similarly obtained 100%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl-p)}_3$ , m. 119-20° (from  $\text{CCl}_4$ ) and its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 113-5°. The 2 latter esters on boiling with EtOH are hydrolyzed to diaryl esters. Similarly, but in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  soln., there was prep'd. 55.2%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl-o)}_3$ , m. 69-70° (from petr.ether), and its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 40-2°. Similarly (in  $C_6H_6$ ) was prep'd. 93.5%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_2\text{-p)}_3$ , m. 144-6°, and its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 148-50°. Similarly were prep'd.:  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_2\text{-o)}_3$ , m. 141-2°, and its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 115-7°; 70%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{N:P(OC}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{-1)}_3$ , m. 123-4°, and its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 110-11°. Heating 0.002 mole of the above esters with 15 ml. EtOH and 4 ml. 10% NaOH 1 hr. at reflux, removal of EtOH (the resulting aq. soln. should be perfectly clear, indicating complete hydrolysis) and acidification with aq. HCl gave the following diaryl esters (the Na salts of some of these are sparingly sol. in  $H_2O$ ):  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OPh)}_2$ , 94%, m. 143-4°; 91% its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 122-3°; 75%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl-p)}_2$ , m. 167-8°; its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 110-2°; 86%  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{Cl-o)}_2$ , m. 137-9°; its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 110-11°;  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_2\text{-p)}_2$ , 97.5%, m. 197-8°; its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 148-50° (the Na salts of these are sparingly sol. in  $H_2O$  in the cold);  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OC}_6\text{H}_4\text{NO}_2\text{-o)}_2$ , m. 163-4°; its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 142-3°;  $\text{Me}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPO(OC}_{10}\text{H}_7\text{-1)}_2$ , m. 190-1°; its  $\text{Et}_2\text{N}$ -analog, m. 171-2°. These esters are formed in similarly high yield by reaction of  $\text{R}_2\text{NSO}_2\text{NNHPOCl}_3$  with 3 moles ArQNa in  $C_6H_6$ .

Reaction of alkyl esters of trichloromethylphosphonic acid with alkylamines  
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$(RO)_2P(O)CCl_3$  react with dialkylamines without rupture of the P-C bond  
and form largely the ester salts. To 5.5 g.  $(MeO)_2PO$  in 7.52 g.  $CCl_4$   
there was added with cooling 4.5 g.  $Et_2NH$ ; filtration gave 97%  $Me_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  
while the filtrate gave 85%  $Me_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 72-2.5^{\circ}$ ,  $d_{20}^{20} 1.4175$ ,  $d_{4}^{20} 1.153$ .  
Similarly were prep'd.: 66%  $Me_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 84^{\circ}$ , 1.4186,  
 $d_{20}^{20} 1.1317$ . 1.0678, 1.0469; 91%  $Me_2NPO(OCH_2CH_2)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 84-4.5^{\circ}$ , 1.4160, 1.0078, 0.9892;  
1.0678, 1.0469; 91%  $Me_2NPO(OCH_2CH_2)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 125-6^{\circ}$ , 1.4230, 1.0000, 0.9826; 55%  $Et_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  
 $n_{D}^{20} 84.5-3^{\circ}$ , 1.4265, 1.0885, 1.0664; 80%  $Et_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 101^{\circ}$ , 1.4242,  
 $b_g 82.5-3^{\circ}$ , 1.0297, 1.0113; 70%  $Et_2NPO(OCH_2CH_2)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 115^{\circ}$ , 1.4205, 0.9840, 0.9660;  
84%  $Et_2NPO(OEt)_2$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 133.5^{\circ}$ , 1.4320, 0.9814, 0.9641. To 6.8 g.  $CCl_3PO(OEt)_2$ ,  
was added 4.5 g.  $Et_2NH$  in 10 ml.  $Et_2O$ , yielding on the following day  
a ppt. of  $CCl_3P(O)(OH)_2Et_2NH$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 82-2.5^{\circ}$  (from  $Me_2CO$ -petr.ether), in 99%  
yield. Heating 11 g.  $CCl_3PO(OEt)_2$  and 9.48 g.  $Et_2NH$  in sealed tube 6 hrs.  
at 40-50° and 0.5 hr. at 90-100° gave 14 g.  $CCl_3PO(OEt)OM.Et_2NH$ ,  $n_{D}^{20}$   
 $69.5-70^{\circ}$  (from  $C_6H_6$ -petr.ether). Similarly was prep'd. 45%  $CCl_3PO(OCH_2CH_2)_2$ -  
 $OH.Et_2NH$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 100.5-101^{\circ}$ . Reactions of  $Me_2NH$  or  $Et_2NH$  with  $CCl_3PO(OEt)_2$   
where R=Pr, Bu or iso-Bu, gave only uncrystallizable sirups, which were  
not examined further. Reaction as performed above fails to take place  
when  $Ph_2NH$  is used as the amine; the latter failed to react with  
 $(RO)_2PHO$  in  $CCl_4$  also. The results indicate that the amidation of di-  
alkyl phosphites in the presence of  $CCl_4$  proceed through formation of  
 $(RO)_2POCl$ . Cf. Atherton et al., J.Chem.Soc.1945, 660; 1947, 674; Kennard  
et al. JACS 77, 1156(1955).

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**Salts of dichlorides of arylsulfonamidophosphoric acids.**

B. S. Leveschenko and A. V. Kirsanov. Izvay. Obshchesh. Khim. 37, 3073-82 (1957). Reaction of  $\text{PhSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$  with  $\text{PhNH}_2$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  yields a ppt. of  $(\text{PhSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2)^+(\text{PhNH}_2)^-$ , which can be recrystallized from  $\text{CHCl}_3$  and which is sol. in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , being hydrolyzed by warm  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . The ability to form such salts was extended to alkali metals. Thus 0.1 mole powd.  $\text{ArSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$  added gradually to aq. soln. of 5 g.  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  over 10-15 min. at room temp. (no heat evolution) gave solid K salts  $\text{ArSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$ , which are washed with ice- $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , EtOH and recrystallized from MeOH or EtOH; thus were obtained the following salts (Ar shown): 94% Ph, dec. 197-8°; 51% p- $\text{NO}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_4$ , dec. 210-3°; 83% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4$ , dec. 207-8°; 100% o- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4$ , dec. 199-200°; 87% p- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4$ , dec. 196-7°; 100% m- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4$ , dec. 205-6°. The  $\text{PhSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2\cdot\text{PhNH}_2$  salt, m. 107-108°. Addn. of 0.03 moles NaOMe in MeOH to 0.01 mole above K salts gave after distn. of MeOH, soln. of the residue in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and acidification with HCl, the following esters  $\text{ArSO}_2\text{NHPO}(\text{OMe})_2$  (Ar shown): 93% Ph, m. 106-8°; 60% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4$ , m. 123-9°; 83% m- $\text{O}_2\text{NC}_6\text{H}_4$ , m. 150-1°. Addn. of  $\text{PhSO}_2\text{NHPCl}_3$  (0.01 mole) to 5 g.  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  in 10 ml.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (exothermic) and cooling gave 54%  $\text{PhSO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$ , dec. 197-8°, identical with above prepn. Heating 0.1 mole p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{SO}_2\text{NH}_2$  and 0.1 mole  $\text{PCl}_5$  heated 1.5 hrs. at 100-5° until HCl evolution ceased gave on cooling 100% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{SO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$ , m. 71-3° (from petr. ether). This (0.1 mole) in 20 ml.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  was treated with 0.15 mole AgOMe yielding a ppt. of 98% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{SO}_2\text{NHPOCl}_2$ , m. 148-50° (from  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ ). To 0.025 mole I in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  was slowly added with cooling NaOMe in MeOH from 0.075 st. Na in 30 ml. MeOH yielding after filtration, evapn. and treatment with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , followed by extn. with  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  and evapn. of the ext., 41% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{SO}_2\text{NHPO}(\text{OMe})_2$ , m. 51-2° (from petr. ether), while the aq. soln. on acidification with HCl gave 20% p- $\text{ClC}_6\text{H}_4\text{SO}_2\text{NHPO}(\text{OMe})_2$ , m. 139-40° (from  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ ), at first forming thin needles which gradually change in contact with  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  into large prisms.

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Organophosphorus polymers. 2. Polycondensation of di-2-chloroethyl esters of alkyl- and arylphosphinic acids.

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Heating  $\text{RP(O)(OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl)}_2$  to  $230\text{-}50^\circ$  results in elimination of  $(\text{CH}_2\text{Cl})_2$  and formation of polymeric products in the course of 7-9 hrs., the polymer having generally less than 100 units per ~~XXXXXX~~ chain. Thus I (R-Me) gave a 10-unit polymer at  $220^\circ$ , 20 unit one at  $230^\circ$ , 40 unit one at  $240^\circ$ , but at  $250^\circ$  the free acid of I was formed owing to degradation of I to the free acid and aldehyde. Treatment of 161 g.  $\text{ClCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ , 202 g.  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  in 1.8 l. dioxane at below  $5^\circ$  with 133 g.  $\text{MePOCl}_2$  gave after 1.5 hrs. on a steam bath 61.2% I (R-Me),  $b_1^{115-6^\circ}$ ,  $n_1^{20} 1.4662$ ,  $d_{20} 1.3491$ . This heated as above gave 50-5% polymer as a brown viscous fluid, while the mixture evolved  $(\text{CH}_2\text{Cl})_2$  and some  $\text{MePO(OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2$ ,  $b_2^{110-2^\circ}$ , 1.4590, 1.3545. Heating the reaction mixture with Na several hrs. at  $120\text{-}40^\circ$  gave a polymer with mol.wt.622, indicating the presence of the above cyclic ester in the initial reaction mixture; the thermal polymerization yields some AcH as a byproduct. At  $250^\circ$  the products included 23.8%  $\text{MePO}_3\text{H}_2$ . Similarly  $\text{ClCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ ,  $\text{Et}_3\text{N}$  and  $\text{ClCH}_2\text{POCl}_2$  in dioxane gave 72% I (R- $\text{ClCH}_2$ ),  $b_2^{158-60^\circ}$ , 1.4545, 1.4637, which in 10 hrs. at  $230^\circ$  gave 55% polymeric viscous product. Similarly was prep'd. 43.3% I (R-Ph),  $b_1^{153-4^\circ}$ , 1.5282, 1.3248, which at  $250^\circ$  in 10 hrs. gave 62.4% polymeric fluid with 27 links per chain (mol.wt.). Reaction of 72 g.  $\text{POCl}_3$  with 106 g.  $\text{ClCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  gave 66.6%  $(\text{ClCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O})_3\text{PO}$ ,  $b_2^{168-70^\circ}$ , 1.4728, 1.4289, which at  $240^\circ$  or  $280^\circ$  evolved  $(\text{CH}_2\text{Cl})_2$  and gave gaseous products and viscous polymeric fluids. The polymers are believed to be repeating units of  $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OP(O)R}-$  type, formed in part through the initially formed cyclic esters of type  $\text{RP(O)(OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2$ .

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Telomerization of methacrylic acid with trialkyl phosphites.

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Thoroughly purified  $(EtO)_3P$  (purified by treatment with Na and careful distn.) undergoes telomerization with  $CH_2:CMCO_2H$  without added catalyst either at room temp. or on being heated. The ester purified by mere distn. does not telomerize. While  $NaOMe$  or  $Et_3N$  do have catalytic effect on this telomerization, they fail to produce high yields of products. The best catalyst is  $Bz_2O_2$ . Treatment of 1:1 to 1:10 mixtures of  $(EtO)_3P$  and  $CH_2:CMCO_2H$  with 0.001-0.2%  $Bz_2O_2$  yielded telomers of varying mol. wts. having general formulation  $(EtO)_3P(O)(CH_2:CMCO_2H)_nEt$ , the reaction being performed at  $20^\circ$  with up to 8% yields (0.1% catalyst used). The products are powders which soften and char on heating; they are insol. in the usual solvents except for hot  $MeOH$  or  $AcOH$ . Mol.wts. range up to 2109. The possibly ionic route of the reaction is discussed, with the  $(RO)_3F^+$  and  $CO_2^-$  being the polar terminals of the chain initiating and propagating reaction links. Structures of the telomers was not examined. Keeping a 1:1 mixture of  $(EtO)_3P$  and  $CH_2:CMCO_2H$  at room temp. until the ester had completely disappeared yielded presumably the initial adduct such as  $(EtO)_3POCH_2:CMCO_2H^-$  (presumably cyclized); this was treated in situ with 8 moles  $CH_2:CMCO_2H$  and 0.01%  $Bz_2O_2$ , which led to intense formation of the telomer formed in 51% yield (mol.wt.680). Increased proportion of  $CH_2:CMCO_2H$  monomer in the mixture raises the av.mol.wt. of the product; increased concn. of  $Bz_2O_2$  also raises the av.mol.wt. of the telomer (0.1% gave 2109, 0.01% gave 752 and 0.001% gave 515 mol.wt.). This is explained by greater probability of chain termination at low catalyst concns.

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Condensation of dialkyl hydrogen phosphites with derivatives of carboxylic acids.

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$\text{CS}(\text{NH}_2)_2$  reacts with  $(\text{OC})_2\text{PHO}$  after being heated to a critical temp., when the reaction becomes vigorous; The di-Me ester reacts at  $60^\circ$ , others require heating in sealed tubes. Since the products do not add S, the reaction apparently proceeds by addn. at the C:S bond. Thus were obtained: 20.5%  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{C}(\text{OH})(\text{NH}_2)_2$ , m.113-4 $^\circ$ ; 49.8% di-Et ester, m.109-10 $^\circ$ ; 5.3% di-Pr ester, m.140-4 $^\circ$ ; 33% di-Bu ester, m.114-5 $^\circ$ ; and 21% di-iso-Bu ester, m.144-5 $^\circ$ . The products are sol. in org. solvents and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and are best crystallized from acetone. Preliminary ex ts. showed reaction of  $(\text{OC})_2\text{PHO}$  with urea, formamide and other derive. of carboxylic acids.  $\text{Hf}(\text{O})\text{K}(\text{OK})$  also reacts with  $\text{CS}(\text{NH}_2)_2$ .

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Trichlorophosphazomolybdate trinitrophenylate and phosphorus acid chlorides. N.N. Virsanov and N.G. Peshchanskaya, Zhur. Obshch. Khim., 27, 211-29 (1957).  
Adding 0.05 mole poud.  $O_2NC_6H_4SO_3NH_2$  (I) and 0.05 mole  $PCl_3$  under a reflux condenser to  $135^\circ$  for o-isomer or  $160-170^\circ$  for m-isomer, gave an exothermic reaction with loss of  $HCl$ , completed in 15 min. After evaporation at  $150^\circ$  to remove residual  $HCl$ , the mixture was cooled, yielding yellow prisms of  $O_2NC_6H_4SO_3NiPCl_3$ , which on recrystallization from alcohol become colorless, but do not change their melting points: o-isomer,  $m.73-5^\circ$ ; m-isomer,  $m.82-84^\circ$ ; p-isomer,  $m.114-117^\circ$ . Treatment of I in  $C_6H_6$  with equimolar amount of  $HCO_2H$ , finally at  $m.100^\circ$  for o-isomer, at room temp. 1 day, the corresponding  $O_2NC_6H_4SO_3NHCO_2H$  (II), o-isomer,  $m.49-51^\circ$ ; m-isomer,  $m.145-7^\circ$ ; p-isomer,  $m.143-5^\circ$  (m.p. of dimers), which are less readily attacked by moisture than the trimers. In fact with aldehydes and phenols. Treatment of the trimers with equimolar amount of  $HCO_2H$  in  $C_6H_6$  at reflux 1.5 hrs. gave colorless monomers at room temp. The corresponding  $O_2NC_6H_4SO_3NHCO_2H$  (III) o-isomer, dec.  $71-7^\circ$ ; m-isomer, dec.  $45-6^\circ$ . Treatment of these with small amount of  $H_2O$  and drying over  $H_2SO_4$  and solid KOH gave corresponding  $O_2NC_6H_4SO_3H$  (IV), o-isomer, dec.  $188-90^\circ$ ; m-isomer, dec.  $135-3^\circ$ ; p-isomer, dec.  $173-3^\circ$ . These boiled in aq. soln. are totally hydrolyzed to  $H_2SO_4$ . In cold alkalis the acids form sol. salts. The molar titration of dilute acids to phenol-ththalic; the p-isomer is more acid, i.e. higher and 50% and less in  $Mg_2CO_3$  than the o-isomer, a fact explained by hydrogen bonding in the p-isomer.

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*N*-Thiazolyl- and *N*-pyridyl derivatives of carbonato-*N'*-phosphoric acid.

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Cf. this J.26, 2285 (1956), and 27, 1092 (1957).

To Et<sub>2</sub>O soln. of 0.01 mole Cl<sub>2</sub>PCOO was added dropwise equimolar amount of the desired amine in Et<sub>2</sub>O yielding a ppt. of the corresponding Cl<sub>2</sub>P(O)NHOOC-NHR: R shown: 2-benzothiazolyl, dec.152-4°; 2-thiazolyl, very hygroscopic solid; 2-pyridyl, decomposes in air (in hot N<sub>2</sub>O this yields after neutralization 2-pyridylurea, m.176-7°). The chlorides treated with N<sub>2</sub>O at room temp. gave ppts. of the acids RNHOOCPO(OH)<sub>2</sub>: 2-benzothiazolyl, dec.308-10°; 2-thiazolyl, dec.156-8°; 2-pyridyl, dec.160-2°. If the reaction mixture in the prepn. of the phosphoryl chlorides is treated with MeC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub> in MeOH (A) there are formed (MeO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NHOOC-NHR: 75% 2-benzothiazolyl, m.157-8°; 90% 2-thiazolyl, m.129-30°; 88% 2-pyridyl, m.154-5°; 3-pyridyl, m.160-1°; 2-methyl-6-benzothiazolyl, m.154-6°. Similarly was prepd. di-Me ester of the 2-benzothiazolyl member, 18%, m.153-4°. Reaction of (MeO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NCO with the amines in Et<sub>2</sub>O gave the same products as above. Reaction of (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NCO with the amines gave (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NHOOC-NHR: 99% 2-thiazolyl, m.165-6°; 2-methyl-6-benzothiazolyl, 80%, m.194-5°; 89% 2-pyridyl, m.111-5°. I with MgSO<sub>4</sub> in 0.5 hr. at 130° gave 65% (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NHOOC-A (A=2-methyl-2-benzothiazolilydine), m.198-200°, which formed on mixing Et<sub>2</sub>O solns. of (PhO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NCO and 3-methyl-2-benzothiazolencinine. The latter with (MeO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)NCO similarly gave di-Me N(3-methyl-2-benzothiazolyl-2-ido)carbamido-*N'*-phosphate, m.197-8°, which heated 2 hrs. with MgSO<sub>4</sub> gave 3-methyl-2-benzothiazolencinine, m.120°. Heating di-Pt N(2-methyl-6-benzothiazolyl)carbamido-*N'*-phosphate with MgSO<sub>4</sub> at 120° gave the 3-methylmethosulfate, m.195-7°.

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## Reaction of organosilicon compounds with phosphorus chlorides.

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Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2715-20 (1957). Cf. Stokes, Ber. 24, 933 (1891) and Am.

Chem. J. 14, 545 (1892); Friedel et al. Ber. 3, 15 (1870); Finch et al. JACS

75, 4078 (1953); Brit. Pat. 706,781 (1954); US Pat. 2,488,449, CA 44, 2287.

Refluxing 0.2 mole  $(\text{MeO})_4\text{Si}$  or  $(\text{EtO})_4\text{Si}$ , or 0.1 mole  $(\text{BuO})_4\text{Si}$ , with 0.1 mole  $\text{POCl}_3$  15 min. to 4 hrs. depending on the size of alkyl group, gave the corresponding RCl, distillable substances and undistillable residues of organosilicophosphorus compounds, thermolyses for which are cited; These appear to be polyesters of silanols with partly hydrolysed phosphate esters. Thus were identified  $\text{Si}_4\text{P}_3\text{C}_9\text{H}_{13}\text{O}_{19}$ ,  $\text{Si}_2\text{P}_2\text{C}_2\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_{12}$ , and  $\text{Si}_3\text{P}_2\text{C}_4\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_{15}$  obtained from reactions with  $(\text{MeO})_4\text{Si}$ ,  $(\text{EtO})_4\text{Si}$  and  $(\text{BuO})_4\text{Si}$ , resp.

Refluxing equimolar amounts of  $(\text{PhO})_4\text{Si}$  with  $\text{PCl}_3$  or  $\text{POCl}_3$  15 hrs. gave, resp.  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{P}$  or  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{PO}$  in 20-30% yields. Similarly was prep'd.  $(\alpha\text{-MeC}_6\text{H}_4\text{O})_3\text{P}$ . The substances were characterized by infra-red spectra.

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**Allylic rearrangements. LIX. Reactions of organomagnesium compounds with diethyl sodio phosphite with isomeric isoprene hydrochlorides and methoxy- $\alpha$ -chlorohexenes.**

A. N. Pudovik and I. V. Shergina (State Univ., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2750-5 (1957). Cf. this j. 26, 398, 1635 (1956).

Reaction of  $\text{PhMgBr}$  from 7.8 g. Mg with 40 g. 1-methoxy-3-methyl-5-chloro-3-pentene (I) gave in 4 hrs. 18 g. 1-methoxy-3-methyl-5-phenyl-3-pentene,  $b_{12}^{20} 2^\circ$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.5100$ ,  $d_{20} 0.9420$  (ozonolysis gave  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{CHO}$ ). Similarly 1-methoxy-3-methyl-3-chloro-4-pentene gave the same product.  $\text{EtMgBr}$  treated with I gave 1-methoxy-3-methyl-3-heptene,  $b_{12}^{20} 162-3^\circ$ , 1.4300, 0.8151 (ozonolysis gave  $\text{PyCHO}$ ).  $\text{EtMgBr}$  and I gave 1-methoxy-3-methyl-3-nonene,  $b_{11} 86-7^\circ$ , 1.4390, 0.8239.  $\text{PhMgBr}$  and 1-chloro-3-methyl-2-butene (II) gave 1-phenyl-3-methyl-2-butene,  $b_g 79-80^\circ$ , 1.5110, 0.8971, while the use of 3-methyl-3-chloro-1-butene also gave the same product.  $\text{EtMgBr}$  and II gave 2-methyl-2-hexene.  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{PONa}$  from 31 g. ester in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  and 30 g. II gave in 3 hrs. 29 g.  $\text{Me}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OEt}))_2$ ,  $b_{12}^{20} 117-8^\circ$ , 1.4450, 1.0080 (ozonolysis gave  $\text{Me}_2\text{CO}$ ); the same product,  $b_{11} 111-2^\circ$ , 1.4430, 1.009, formed in similar reaction of 3-chloro-3-methyl-1-butene, the reaction being run either in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  or in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ . Reaction of  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{PONa}$  with I gave a low yield of  $\text{MeOC}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CMe}=\text{CHCH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_g 140-2^\circ$ , 1.4530, 1.031.

Dealkylation of isomeric tributenyl phosphites by hydrogen chloride.  
 A.N.Pudovik (State Univ., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchoi Khim. 27, 2755-60 (1957).  
 Cf. Doklady Akad. Nauk SSSR 84, 519 (1952), and Abramov et al. this j. 24, 1823.  
 Polemical discussion of previous article and its criticism by Abramov.  
 It is now shown that  $(RO)_3P$  are intermediate products in the reaction of  $PCl_3$  with isomeric butenols; the initial dealkylation of these occurs along the lines of Arbuzov rearrangement by the attack of HCl. Further attack by HCl may pursue  $S_{N}1$  or  $S_{N}2$  routes. Since  $(RO)_2POH$  are attacked by dry HCl at  $-10^{\circ}$  only very slowly if the radicals in the esters are primary and secondary, the rapid dealkylation of dicrotyl and diisobutetyl esters may be explained by direct action of HCl on the quinquevalent form of the ester through four-center reaction at the PO group, with electron supply provided by induction of alkyl groups aiding the reaction. Reaction of 64.8 g. crotyl alc., 109 g.  $PhMg_2$ , and 41.3 g.  $PCl_3$  in  $Et_2O$  gave 45.5 g.  $(CH_2=CHCH_2O)_3P$ ,  $b_1 98-9^{\circ}$ ,  $d_{20} 0.9757$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4680$ ; this (10 g.) treated with dry HCl at  $-10^{\circ}$  gave 6.5 g. mixed chlorobutenes (86% 1-chloro-2-butene and 14% 2-chloro-3-butene) and 3.2 g.  $H_3PO_3$ . Addn. of 37 g.  $PCl_3$  to 50 g. crotyl alc. at  $-15^{\circ}$  gave after 0.5 hr. stirring and quenching in ice 59.5 g. mixed chlorobutenes of same compn. as above. Similarly  $PCl_3$  and  $NaCH(OH)CH_2CH_2$  gave the same mixture of chlorides. Reaction of  $PCl_3$  with BuOH under these conditions gave 84%  $(BuO)_3PNO$ , while allyl alc. gave 42%  $(CH_2=CHCH_2O)_2PHO$  (on distn. the residue tends to explode violently if heated unduly). Passage of dry HCl into  $(BuO)_3P$  at  $-10^{\circ}$  and stirring 0.5 hr. gave 1 mole  $BuCl$  and  $(BuO)_2PHO$ . Similarly  $(CH_2=CHCH_2O)_3P$  and HCl gave allyl chloride and  $(RO)_2PHO$ ,  $b_1 97-8^{\circ}$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4430$ , with much residue. Reaction of HCl similarly with  ~~$(CH_2=CHCH_2O)_3P$~~   $(CH_2=CHCH_2O)_3P$  gave  $H_3PO_3$  and mixed butenyl chlorides (50-53% 1-chloro-2-butene and 47-50% 2-chloro-3-butene). Keeping  $(Bu)_3P$  in  $Et_2O$  in presence of dry HCl at room temp. and following the reaction by periodic analysis for labile Cl showed that in 3 days the Bu ester lost 0.96 mole alkyl radical, allyl ester lost 1.7, crotyl ester lost 2.3 and methallyl ester lost 2.2 ester groups.

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Synthesis of aminealkylphosphonic acids. Reaction of some heterocyclic ketones with dialkyl phosphites and ammonia.

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Iato 18 g. 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-piperidone and 17.5 g. ( $\text{EtO}_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{H}_2$ ) there was introduced dry  $\text{NH}_3$  (exothermic) and the mixture was heated 3 hrs. at  $50^\circ$  and 2 hrs. on a steam bath in a continued stream of  $\text{NH}_3$ ; on cooling the mixture was treated with dry  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  yielding a ppt. mainly of  $\text{NH}_4$  salt of Et phosphite, which was sepd. and the filtrate distd. yielding 41% yellow hygroscopic di-Et 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-aminopiperidyl-4-phosphonate,  $b_{40,1} 81-3^\circ$ ,  $n_p^{20} 1.4784$ ,  $d_{20} 1.0601$ ; picrate, m.165-6°,  $C_{24}H_{33}N_3PO_4$  (type error?). Similarly 2,2-dimethyltetrahydro-4-pyranone gave 56% di-Et 2,2-dimethyl-4-aminotetrahydropyranyl-4-phosphonate,  $b_{40,01} 79-81^\circ$ , 1.4692, 1.1088; thus were also prep'd.: 52% di-Et 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-aminopiperidyl-4-phosphonate,  $b_{4x10-4} 108-9^\circ$ , 1.4693, 1.0249; 42% di-Et 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-aminopiperidyl-4-thiomophosphonate,  $b_{4} 120-3^\circ$ , 1.4952, 1.0730. I warmed with PhNCO on a steam bath gave di-Et 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-( $\text{N}$ -phenylureido)-piperidyl-4-phosphonate, m.198° (from  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ ). I with  $\text{AcCl}$  in petr.ether at  $20-5^\circ$  gave very hygroscopic 4-acetamido analog of I, dec.104° as the HCl salt, which with  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  gave 33% free ester,  $b_{2x10-4} 127^\circ$ , m.115-7° also formed in 56% yield from I heated 10 min. with  $\text{Ac}_2\text{O}$ , neutralized and distd. ( $b_2 164^\circ$ ). I and  $\text{EtCOCl}$  in petr.ether gave 4-propionamide analog of I, as HCl salt, hygroscopic solid, dec.99°, which gave the free ester on treatment with  $\text{EtONa}$ ; the free ester, 53%,  $b_{3x10-4} 109-11^\circ$ , m.105° (from petr.ether). I and  $\text{BeCl}$  in petr.ether gave 4-beanamide analog of I, 35%, m.131-2°, whose HCl salt, dec.94°, is very hygroscopic. Similarly II and  $\text{EtCOCl}$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  in presence of pyridine at  $50-60^\circ$  gave 4-propionamide analog of II, m.97° (from  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ ). To 7.05 g. 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-piperidone and 7 g. ( $\text{EtO}_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{H}_2$ ) was added dropwise  $\text{EtONa}-\text{EtCOCl}$  (exothermic); after heating 0.5 hr. on a steam bath the low boiling materials were distd. leaving 32% di-Et 1,2,5-trimethyl-4-hydroxypiperidyl-4-phosphonate, m.82-3° (from  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ ). Similarly was obtained 56% di-Et 2,2-dimethyl-4-hydroxytetrahydropyranyl-4-phosphonate, m.75-6° (from petr.ether).

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Substitution reactions of phosphonocetic ester and phosphonacetone.  
 A.N. Pudovik, L.P. Shebekina and L.A. Bachirova (State Univ., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2367-71 (1957). Cf. this J. 25, 1920 (1955); 27, 1708 (1957).  
 To a soln. of 3.4 g. Na in 35 g.  $\text{Et}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ , in 150 ml. Et<sub>2</sub>O was added 20 g. 1-methoxy-5-chloro-3-pentene, yielding after heating and sepn. of NaCl 1.2 g.  $\text{MeOCCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CO}_2\text{Et})\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_3$  167-9°,  $n_D^{20}$  1.4526,  $d_{30}^{20}$  1.0718, which oxidized with KMnO<sub>4</sub> to methoxypropionic acid,  $b_3$  105-6°. Similar reaction of 1-chloro-2-butene gave  $\text{MeCH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CO}_2\text{Et})\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_{10}$  156-7°, 1.4453, 1.0617, which also formed in similar yield from 2-chloro-3-butene, which thus underwent an allylic shift. Similarly  $\text{BrCH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$  gave  $\text{Et}_2\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CO}_2\text{Et})\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_3$  165-6°, 1.4492, 1.1353. The use of  $\text{MeCH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Na}$  gave a moderate yield of  $\text{Et}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CO}_2\text{Na})\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_{10}$  151-3°, 1.4432, 1.1434. Similarly  $\text{BuOCCH}_2\text{Cl}$  gave  $\text{Et}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CO}_2\text{Cl})\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_3$  177-8°, 1.4415, 1.0612. The soln. from 1.77 g. Na, 15 g.  $\text{MeCOCH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$ , and 100 ml. Et<sub>2</sub>O was treated with 20 g.  $\text{BrCH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$  yielding after 8 hrs. 6.5 g.  $\text{MeCOCH}(\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2)\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$ ,  $b_3$  148-9°, 1.4430, 1.1353; similarly  $\text{MeCH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$  gave after 4 hrs. on a steam bath in C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub> a modest yield of  $\text{MeCOCH}(\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2)-\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$ ,  $b_3$  151-3°, 1.4556, -. Similar reaction with  $\text{AcCH}_2\text{Br}$  gave a low yield of  $\text{MeCOCH}(\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2)\text{CH}_2\text{COMe}$ ,  $b_3$  125-6°, 1.4510, 1.1415. The Na deriv. of  $\text{MeCOCH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$  reacted with  $\text{BuOCCH}_2\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{BuOCCH}_2\text{Cl}$  but the products could not be isolated owing to decomposition and tar formation. The reaction of Na deriv. of  $\text{Et}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$  with  $\text{Me}_2\text{CBrCO}_2\text{Et}$  proceeded very slowly even in hot C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub> and only traces of higher boiling products were obtained.

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Addition of complete esters of phosphorous acid and phosphorous acids to conjugated systems. I. Addition of trialkyl phosphites to acrylic and methacrylic acids.

Gil'm Kamai and V.A. Kukhtin (Chem. Tech. Inst., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2372-6 (1956). Cf. Doklady Akad. Nauk SSSR 102, 383 (1955).  
 To 12 g. (MeO)<sub>3</sub>P was added dropwise 7 g.  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Et}$ , producing an exothermic reaction (temp. rise to 135°), after which 2 hrs. at 120° gave 10 g.  $\text{Me}_2\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OMe})_2$ ,  $b_3$  122°,  $n_D^{20}$  1.4370,  $d_{30}^{20}$  1.2010 (52%). Similarly were prep'd.: 39.4% tri-Et ester,  $b_3$  121-4°, 1.4310, 1.0941; 26.2% tri-Bu ester,  $b_4$  147-9°, 1.4382, 1.0024; 42% tri-iso-Bu ester,  $b_6$  163-5°, 1.4360, 1.0030. To 12 g. (MeO)<sub>3</sub>P was added 8.6 g.  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Et}$ , with slight exothermic effect; after 3 hrs. at 120-30° there was obtained 56.8% (MeO)<sub>2</sub>P(O)CH<sub>2</sub>CHMeCO<sub>2</sub>Me,  $b_5$  126-7°, 1.4372, 1.1681; 34.1% tri-Et ester,  $b_5$  123-5°, 1.4333, 1.0761; 31.2% tri-Bu ester,  $b_5$  153-5°, 1.4390, 1.0919; 62.1% tri-iso-Bu ester,  $b_5$  155-7°, 1.4375,

1.0011; were prep'd. similarly. Hydrolysis of  $\text{EtO}_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{PO}(\text{OEt})_2$  with 15%  $\text{HCl}$  3 hrs. at  $120-30^\circ$  gave the free acid, m.146°. Keeping 16.6 g. ( $\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$ )<sup>+</sup> 1 month in sealed ampul with  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Et}$  (0.6 g.) gave us a reaction mixture with  $n_p^{20} 1.4310$ ,  $d_g^{20} 0.9961$ ; after 3 months these became  $n_p^{20} 1.4320$ ,  $d_g^{20} 0.9957$ ; treatment of this with  $\text{Cu}_2\text{Cl}_2$  failed to produce an exothermic reaction and the mixture was devoid of typical odor of the phosphite. The material (10.4 g.) was treated with 2 g.  $\text{NaOH}$  (slight heat evolution) and kept 2 days yielding 5.3 g.  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Me}$ ,  $b_g 120-1^\circ$ , 1.4346, 1.1021. (Cf. Fudovik, Uspekhi Khim. 23, 547 (1954)). It is suggested that the addn. of the  $(\text{RO})_3\text{P}$  to the unsatd. acids proceeds with formation of a bipolar ion  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}^+(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{OH})\text{O})^-$ , which may cyclize, then rearrange to the final product. The formation of an intermediate adduct is confirmed by the above described room temp. reaction and by the fact that the thus obtained reaction mixture reacts exothermically with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , while the final phosphonocarboxylates do not react with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  at room temp. The above reaction is a special form of the Arbuzov rearrangement.

#### II. Addition of trialkyl phosphites to acrolein and crotonaldehyde.

Ibid. 2376-80. Cf. Kamai, Kukhtin and Seregeva, Trudy Kazansk. Khim. Tekh. Inst., No. 21, 155 (1956).

To 10 g.  $(\text{MeO})_3\text{P}$  in dioxane was added 4.5 g.  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCHO}$  (exothermic reaction) and the mixture after 2.5 hrs. at  $50-90^\circ$  was distd. with much decolorn.; if prior to distn. the mixture is treated with 2.6 g.  $\text{NaOH}$  and the mixture kept 1 day at room temp., the yield of distd. product rises to 30% of  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Me}$ ,  $b_g 125-6^\circ$ ,  $n_p^{20} 1.4432$ ,  $d_g^{20} 1.1570$ . Similarly were prep'd. 19.2%  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Et}$ ,  $b_g 132-4^\circ$ , 1.4442, 1.0603; 11%  $(\text{PrO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Pr}$ ,  $b_g 153-5^\circ$ , 1.4426, 1.0639; 49.6%  $(\text{BuO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Bu}$ ,  $b_g 156-7^\circ$ , 1.4460, 0.9806; 17.4%  $(\text{iPrO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{iPr}$ ,  $b_g 150-1^\circ$ , 1.4430, 0.9750. Treatment of the undistd. original reaction mixture of  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  above with  $\text{MeOH}$  and distn. after 2 days at room temp. gave 34.5%  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Me}$ ,  $b_g 123-4^\circ$ , 1.4435, 1.0985. Treatment of the Bu member of the above series with 2%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  at  $70-80^\circ$  gave after neutralization and distn. a low yield of  $(\text{BuO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2$ ,  $b_g 150-1^\circ$ , 1.4406, 1.0129; treatment of the reaction product of  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  similarly with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  gave 31%  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2$ ,  $b_g 128-30^\circ$ , 1.4480, 1.1320. To 17 g.  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  was added 7 g.  $\text{NaCR:CHCO}_2$  and the mixture after 2 hrs. at  $110^\circ$  gave 4.7 g. (17.1%)  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2$ ,  $b_g 136-8^\circ$ , 1.4506, 1.0436. Similarly was prep'd. 12.9%  $(\text{PrO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2\text{Pr}$ ,  $b_g 152-4^\circ$ , 1.4496, 1.0046. The addn. is believed to proceed through a dipolar ion, which cyclizes to an intermediate  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCO}_2$ . Thus trialkyl phosphites are capable of adding to  $\pi,\pi-$  and  $\sigma-\pi$  conjugated

Mixed esters of tertiary-1,1,1-trichloroethyl phosphorous acid.  
V. S. Abramov and V. K. Khairullin (Chem. Tech. Inst., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2381-86(1957). Cf. this j. 27, 444 and 1365(1957).

To 0.2 mole glycol or 0.4 mole ROH and 0.4 mole pyridine in 300-400 ml. Et<sub>2</sub>O there was added with ice cooling 0.2 mole CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>; after stirring at room temp., and finally at reflux, the mixture was filtered and distd. yielding the following esters: 61.5% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>3</sub> 104°, d<sub>20</sub> 1.4226, n<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> 1.4980; 60% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(CH<sub>2</sub>Cl)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 97°, 1.3665, 1.4891; 56.2% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>O-P(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>3</sub> 122-3°, n 1.2635, 1.4830, m. 62-1°; 95% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>-O-, b<sub>6</sub> 151°, m. 62-3°; 79.2% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 106°, 1.3346, 1.4779; 75% CCl<sub>3</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 90°, n 1.2898, 1.4700; 62.2% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 123-4°, 1.1611, 1.4675; 65.6% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 59°, 1.1872, 1.4612; 58% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 194-7°, 1.4730; 1.5132; 70% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>3</sub> 183-4°, 1.2105, 1.4985; & 78% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>O-P(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>3</sub> 189-90°, 1.3130, 1.5640; 61.4% CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OP(OEt)<sub>2</sub>, b<sub>1</sub> 163°, 1.2533, 1.4776. The esters formed adducts with Cu<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> of type ester.CuCl; these were crystalline solids in the following examples of the R radicals: nitrophenyl (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, m. 174-5°; o-C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, m. 146°(dec.); Me, dec. 157-8°; iso-Pr, m. 144-4.5°; C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>11</sub>, m. 166-1°; Ph, m. 121-2°; CH<sub>2</sub>Cl, m. 148°. The reaction of the above chlorophosphite with benzpinacol failed even at 100° in the presence of pyridine. The nitro reaction with tert. ales. did proceed in cases of Me<sub>3</sub>COH, Ph<sub>3</sub>COH and 1-trichloromethylecyclohexanol; the 1st of these gave (RO)(R'O)PhO, the 2nd gave Ph<sub>3</sub>CCl, while the third gave (RO)-(R'O)PCl (cf. above refs.).

Reaction of dialkyl phosphites with aldehydes and ketones. XIV. Tertiary 1,1,1-trichloromethylecyclohexyl esters of substituted α-hydroxymethylphosphonic acid.

V. S. Abramov and V. K. Khairullin (Chem. Tech. Inst., Kazan). Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 27, 2387-9(1957). Cf. this j. 26, 811(1956); 27, 2381(1957).

Brief heating of equimolar mixtures of appropriate carbonyl compounds and (CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>O)[(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>CCl<sub>3</sub>O]PhO in ampul to 50-60°, followed by standing at room temp. gave the following (CCl<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>O)[(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>CCl<sub>3</sub>O]P(O)OM: (R, R'): shown, resp.): H, Me m. 179-81°; H, Et, m. 173-80°; H, Pr, m. 156-8°; H, iso-Bu, m. 177-8°; H, CCl<sub>3</sub>, m. 162.5°; H, Ph, m. 144-6°; H, p-NaC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, m. 150-2°; H, m-NO<sub>2</sub>C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, m. 154-6°; Na, Me, m. 145-7°; CH<sub>2</sub>Cl, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl, m. 168-8.5°; (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>, m. 190°(dec.); (CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>, m. 166-7.5°. These were crystallized from EtOH or CHCl<sub>3</sub>-NaOH; they are substantially insol. in H<sub>2</sub>O. The reaction was complete in 24-318 hrs. at room temp. as evidenced by crystallization.

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**Preparation and some properties of intermediate products of the Arbuzov rearrangement.**

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In order to decrease the probability of decompr. of the intermediates in the Arbuzov rearrangement by the necessarily elevated temp. of the reaction, the authors selected  $\text{Et}_2\text{POEt}$  as the initial ester, owing to their ease of entry into the Arbuzov reaction without heating. (Addn. of  $\text{NaI}$  to  $\text{Et}_2\text{POEt}$  at room temp. leads to explosive reaction and liberation of  $\text{I}_2$ ). Addn. of  $\text{NaI}$  to  $\text{Et}_2\text{POEt}$  at  $-6^\circ$  results in complete reaction in 0.5 hr. and formation of crystalline product,  $\text{Et}_2\text{P}(\text{OEt})_2\text{I}$ , m. 86-87 $^\circ$  (after washing with dry  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ ). This may in desiccator over  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  decomposed spontaneously in 24-5 days at 18 $^\circ$ , the reaction commencing rather abruptly; at 45 $^\circ$  the formation of the complex is terminated in 20 min. and the reaction proper is complete in 5.75 hrs., while at 55 $^\circ$  the complex formation is complete in 10 min. and the reaction is complete in 2 hrs. Similarly,  $\text{EtI}$  and  $\text{Et}_2\text{POEt}$  react in 22-5 hrs. at 21 $^\circ$  yielding  $\text{Et}_2\text{P}(\text{OEt})_2\text{I}$ , m. 79-81 $^\circ$ , which over  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  decomposed after 15 days at 21 $^\circ$ .  $\text{PrI}$  and  $\text{Et}_2\text{POEt}$  in 42-4 hrs. at 18 $^\circ$  gave  $\text{PrEt}_2\text{P}(\text{OEt})_2\text{I}$ , m. 75-8 $^\circ$ , which decomposed over  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  in 10 days at 18 $^\circ$ . The adducts are sol. in polar solvents and  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$ , insol. in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The decompr. of the adducts yields  $\text{Et}_2\text{PO}$  and  $\text{R}\text{X}$ ; owing to hygroscopicity of the phosphine oxides they were isolated as chloroaurates; thus chloroaurate of  $\text{Et}_2\text{PO}$ , m. 53-4 $^\circ$  (cf. Pickard and Konyon, J. O. S., 66, 362 (1956)). The dipole moment of  $\text{PrEt}_2\text{P}(\text{OEt})_2\text{I}$  was 5.003; the value for this compares with  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{PMeI}$  (cf. B. A. Arbuzov et al., Khimiya i Primen. Fosfororgan. Soedinenii, 1957, p. 68). Thus the bond in the quasi-phosphonium compound is not purely covalent or purely ionic.

**Bis-trialkylsilylphosphonates.**

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*Izvest. Akad. Nauk S.S.R., Otdel. Khim. Nauk 1957, 1363-71.*  
 Slow distn. of 28.3 g. Et<sub>3</sub>SiCl<sub>2</sub> from 3.2 g. crystalline H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> gave 4 g.  
 MeOH and 67% (Et<sub>3</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>3</sub> 152-3°, d<sub>20</sub> 0.9584, n<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup> 1.4402 (increase of  
 proportion of reactants to 4:1 failed to alter the yield or the product);  
 Raman spectrum in cm<sup>-1</sup>: 254(1), 303(3), 393(0), 564(10), 623(2), 671(0),  
 733(2), 753(2), 973(8), 1008(5), 1018(5), 1110(1), 1232(4), 1267(1), 1382  
 (1), 1412, 1465(10), 2423(1), 2884(12), 2917(7), 2942(3), 2965(10). Thus  
 were obtained 40% (Me<sub>2</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>6</sub> 138-45°, 0.9498, 1.4299, whose Raman  
 spectrum was undetd., and 50% (MePr<sub>2</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>17</sub> 185-6°, 0.9373, 1.4385,  
 whose Raman spectrum was: 173(2), 196(2), 232(2), 265(2), 351(1), 436(0),  
 520(0), 591(1), 644(1), 700(1), 753(2), 800(2), 873(1), 897(6), 1032(7),  
 1069(5), 1103(1), 1206(5), 1259(2), 1300(3), 1341(0), 1410(8), 1454(10),  
 2429(2), 2735(1), 2874(12), 2911(12), 2935(3), 2968(12). Refluxing 48.9 g.  
 Me<sub>2</sub>SiCl and 12.3 g. H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> in 25 ml. C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub> until HCl evolution stopped gave  
 57% (Me<sub>2</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>763</sub> 196°, b<sub>3</sub> 74-5°, 0.9661, 1.4145, whose Raman spectrum  
 was: 171(8), 198(10), 229(2), 262(7), 284(1), 321(0), 367(1), 439(0), 507(0),  
 521(1), 566(3), 593(8), 610(8), 656(10), 700(10), 765(8), 851(6), 930(0),  
 991(3), 1006(3), 1039(1), 1093(1), 1134(4), 1259(10), 1322(2), 1383(1), 1416  
 (10), 2426(3), 2887(12), 2970(12); similarly was prep'd. 73% (Et<sub>3</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH,  
 b<sub>5</sub> 162-4°, -1.4413. The 560-593 cm<sup>-1</sup> region is assigned to Si-C vibrations,  
 b<sub>10</sub> 610-671 to Si-O, 700-765 to P-O, 873-1069 to H-P-O and C-C, 1093-1206 to  
 P-O, 1232-1275 to P=O and CH, 1320-1465 to CH, 2423-9 to P-H, and higher  
 bands to CH vibrations. Refluxing 32.2 g. Et<sub>3</sub>SiCl<sub>2</sub> and 5.6 g. H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> in a  
 stream of dry air 8 hrs. gave 80% MeOH and 58% (Et<sub>3</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>10</sub> 208°, 0.9668,  
 1.4452; similarly was prep'd. (Me<sub>2</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH, b<sub>6</sub> 98-104°, -1.4082, whose Raman  
 spectrum was: 170(10), 190(5), 220(1), 246(4), 258(5), 330(1), 345(1), 460(1),  
 589(7), 614(10), 652(5), 697(7), 760(5), 846(5), 1200(1), 1257(5), 1275(2),  
 1320(1), 1372(1), 1414(7), 2907(10), 2970(10). (Et<sub>3</sub>SiO)<sub>2</sub>POH are hydrolysed  
 by H<sub>2</sub>O and alc. yielding H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>. They do not add CuX; they react with MeMgI  
 yielding CH<sub>4</sub>, but only the Et member gave 100% yield, the others giving  
 much lower yields of methane. Cf. Voronkov, Zhur. Obshch. Khim. 27, 1483(1957),  
 25, 469(1955).

*organosilicon compounds*

Condensation of nitroaraffines with ketones and a study of the action of halogen compounds of phosphorus on the resulting nitro olefins.  
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To 30 g.  $\text{BNO}_2$  and 250 ml.  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$  was added 0.5 g.  $\text{Na}$  in 25 ml.  $\text{abs. MeOH}$  and the mixture was shaken 30 hrs. at room temp., yielding after neutralization with 67  $\text{HCl}$ , 21.5  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20} 1.57-5^{\circ}$ ;  $\eta_{D}^{20} 1.0739$ ;  $n_D^{25}$  1.4460. Similarly were obtained: 37.5  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20} 51-5^{\circ}$ , 1.0749; 1.4043; 20.5  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20} 54-5^{\circ}$ , 1.0734; 1.447; 10.5  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20-1} 59-90^{\circ}$ , 1.0725, 1.451; 24.5  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20-5^{\circ}}$ , 1.1099, 1.4504; 42.15  $(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{20} 110-11^{\circ}$ , 1.1700, 1.4810; 2.55  $(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{14} 120-1^{\circ}$ , 1.1665, 1.4902; 32.5  $(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{14} 123-4^{\circ}$ , 1.1121, 1.4850; 45.5  $(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{14} 120-30^{\circ}$ , 1.1045, 1.4810; 20.5  $(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$ ;  $n_{D}^{14} 133-4^{\circ}$ , 1.0944, 1.4740. To 30 g. 1-nitro-2-propenal and 15.2 g. pyridine in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  was added with cooling 9.6 g.  $\text{PCl}_3$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ , yielding after 2 hrs. at room temp., followed by filtration, 9.75 g.  $\text{MeCH}_2\text{CHNO}_2$ , 1.5 g. mixed original  $\text{BNO}_2$  and the nitro-olefin, and a polymerized undistillable residue. Similar reaction of 1-nitro-2-propenal with  $\text{SnCl}_4$  in the presence of pyridine at 5° gave 32.5  $\text{MeCH}_2\text{CHNO}_2$ , and a polymerized residue. Similarly  $\text{SnCl}_4$  and 1-nitro-2-methyl-2-propenal gave 54.7%  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$  and a polymerized residue; the use of 1-nitro-2-pentenal in this reaction gave 40%  $\text{Na}_2\text{C}(\text{ON})\text{CH}_2\text{NO}_2$  and a polymerized residue. 1-Nitro-2-methyl-2-propenal and  $\text{SnCl}_4$  gave 44.2% 1-nitro-2-methyl-1-propene and a small amount of unidentified material;  $n_{D}^{20} 107-15^{\circ}$ . 1-Nitro-2-methyl-2-propenal and  $\text{AsCl}_3$  gave some original  $\text{BNO}_2$  and a fraction,  $n_{D}^{20} 39-67.5^{\circ}$ . Reaction of 1-nitro-2-methyl-2-propenal under these conditions with  $\text{PCl}_3$  gave some unreacted  $\text{BNO}_2$  and 20% 1-nitro-2-methyl-1-propene. Reaction of  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$  from 3 g.  $\text{Na}$  and  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  with 17.15 g.  $\text{NaCH}_2\text{CHNO}_2$  gave only  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$ . Reaction of 1-nitro-2-propenal with  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$  in the presence of pyridine as above gave some 1-nitro-1-propene and some  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$ . Similarly  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$  and 1-nitro-2-methyl-2-propenal gave 1-nitro-2-methyl-1-propene and  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$ . Addn. of a 14 mole  $\text{NaCH}_2\text{CHNO}_2$  to 10 g. 1-nitro-2-methyl-1-propene and 14 g/  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P(O)N}_3$  gave an exothermic reaction and after 1 hr. on a steam bath the mixture gave only the starting materials. It is suggested that the reactions of nitro alcs. with P halides did yield the expected esters, but that these suffered thermal decomps. to the olefins during the distns. Cf. U.S. Pat. 2,177,757.

organic phosphorus routine

Reaction of chloro-substituted tertiary alcohols with phosphorus trichloride.  
 V.G.Abranov and V.K.Khairullin. Trudy Kauza. Khim.Tekhnol.Inst. im. S.M.  
 Kirova, 23, 65-76(1957).

To 1 mole  $\text{PCl}_3$  and 1 mole  $\text{ROH}$  in dry  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  was added with ice cooling 1 mole dry pyridine and after stirring 1-2 hrs. at room temp., then 0.5 hr. at reflux, the mixture was filtered and distd. yielding: 71%  $\text{Me}_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OPCl}_2$ ,  $b_{15} 118^\circ$ ,  $d_{20} 1.3230$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.5254$ ; 80%  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OPCl}_2$ ,  $b_5 127^\circ$ , 1.5115, 1.5425; 72%  $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OPCl}_2$ ,  $b_5 120-80^\circ$  ( $m.35-4^\circ$ ), 1.5091, 1.5320. The dichlorides (1 mole) with 1 mole dry pyridine in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ , treated with 1 mole  $\text{R}'\text{OH}$  at  $0^\circ$  as above, then refluxed 0.5 hr., similarly gave the monochlorides: 78.5%  $[\text{Me}_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{O}]_2\text{PCl}$ ,  $b_5 171^\circ$ , 1.5192, 1.5365; 82.5%  $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OPClOCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2$ ,  $b_5 151-2^\circ$ , 1.5047, 1.5421; 77%  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OPClOCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2$ ,  $b_5 170-9^\circ$  ( $m.39-40.5^\circ$ ), 1.5153, 1.5365; 82%  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{O}]_2\text{PCl}$ ,  $b_5 193-4^\circ$ , ( $m.57-5^\circ$ ), 1.4962, 1.5350. Use of 2 moles of  $\text{R}'\text{OH}$  resulted in 60-70% yields of the monochlorides and recovery of unreacted  $\text{R}'\text{OH}$ . Attempts to form tertiary esters in this family were fruitless. Treatment of the monochlorides with theoretical amount of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  with cooling and drying the products in vacuo gave the following (RO)<sub>2</sub>P(O):  $[\text{Me}_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{O}]_2\text{P(O)}$ ,  $n.45-6^\circ$ ;  $[(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{O}]_2\text{P(O)}$ , liquid,  $d_{20} 1.4770$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.5255$ ;  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OP(O)OCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2$ , liquid, 1.4900, 1.5180;  $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{OP(O)OCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2$ ,  $n.67-9^\circ$ ;  $(\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl}_2)\text{O})_2\text{P(O)}$ ,  $n.130-9^\circ$ . It was shown on molecular models that phosphites with R groups shown above exhibit much steric hindrance and are incapable of free group rotation. To 810 g.  $\text{OCOCl}_2$  and 500 g. cyclopentanone was added with ice cooling 75 g. powd.  $\text{KOH}$  over 4 hrs.; after stirring 2 hrs. at room temp., the mixture was quenched in 1 kg. ice, acidified with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and the aq. layer was extd. with  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$ ; the combined org. layers gave 18.5% 1-trichloromethylcyclopentanol,  $b_{15} 97-5^\circ$ ,  $d_{20} 1.3854$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.5085$ . Cf. Gerard et al. J.Chem.Soc.1952, 914; 1955, 1920

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Mixed esters of tertiary-(1',1',1'-trichloro)butyl-1-trichloromethylecyclopentyl phosphorous acid. IV.

V. S. Abramov and V. K. Khairullin. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst. im. S. M. Kirova, 23, 77-88(1957).

To 0.05 mole ROH and 0.05 mole dry pyridine in 250 ml.  $\text{Sn}_2\text{O}$  was added with ice cooling 0.05 mole  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{OEt}_2)\text{OCMe}_2\text{CCl}_3$  (I) in 50 ml.  $\text{Sn}_2\text{O}$  and after stirring 1-2 hrs. at room temp. and refluxing briefly, the mixture was filtered and dried, yielding the following esters  $(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{OEt}_2)-\text{O}(\text{OK})\text{OCMe}_2\text{CCl}_3$  (R shown): 64.0% Me,  $\nu_3 176-7^\circ$ ,  $d_{40}^{20} 1.4490$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 1.5125$  (CuCl adduct, white solid); 81% Et,  $\nu_3 179-80^\circ$ , 1.4182, 1.5152 (CuCl adduct, m.169°) 70% Pr,  $\nu_3 186-8^\circ$ , 1.3860, 1.5120 (CuCl adduct, m.169°); 74.0% Bu,  $\nu_3 193-6^\circ$ , 1.3633, 1.5085 (CuCl adduct, m.147-5°); 73.0% iso-Bu,  $\nu_3 193-4^\circ$ , 1.3637, 1.5080 (CuCl adduct, m.175° with decompr.); 67.5% Pa,  $\nu_3 210-25^\circ$ , 1.4243, 1.5450 (CuCl adduct, a syrup). The iso-Pr ester could not be dried, but the crude product formed a CuCl adduct, m.179°. Reaction with  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$  gave a crude ester,  $d_{40}^{20} 1.5010$ ,  $n_{D}^{20} 1.5160$ , which appeared to be the free acid corresponding to I. The adducts with CuCl were prep'd. at 100-40° and were pptd. by careful addn. of NaOH to the reaction mixtures. The inability of I to react with tertiary alc. is explained on steric grounds. Cf. this J. 23, 65(1957).

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Rearrangement of mixed esters of bis-tert-trichlorobutyl phosphorous acid.

V.S.Abramov and V.K.Mairullin, Trudy Kazan. Khim.Tekhnol. Inst. im. S.N.

Kirova, 23, 83-90(1957). Cf. Zhur.Obshch. Khim., 27, 646(1957).

Heating equimolar amount of  $\text{MeI}$  with  $(\text{CCl}_3\text{COO})_2\text{POCl}_2$ <sup>(I)</sup> in glass ampule until the mixture formed a solid crystalline mass (10-37 hrs. with heating or some 3 months at room temp.) yielded the same product, regardless of the nature of R; the product was  $\text{MeP}(\text{O})(\text{OCOCOCl}_3)_2$ , m.99-100°. The yields were 89-96.5% with R ranging through: Me (40° reaction temp.), Et (100°), Pr (100°), iso-Pr (20°), Bu (100°), iso-Bu (20°), Me<sub>2</sub>Et (150°). Heating I (R=Et) with  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OT}$  at 155° 7.5 hrs. gave 84%  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OCOCOCl}_3)_2$ , m.99-101°(from Et<sub>2</sub>O-petr.ether). The same product formed from I with R=iso-Pr or iso-Bu, the yields being 88-89, the reaction requiring 36-40 hrs. at 155°. The reaction rate decreases with increased size of R and the radical lost in the Arbuzov reaction is the smallest one present; attempts to isolate the intermediate adducts were unsuccessful. Reaction of I with R-Fh failed to give an isolable product containing P; similar results were obtained from reaction of  $\text{MeI}$  with  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCOCl}_3$  or  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CO}_2\text{POCOCl}_3$ ; the only identified product was trichloroethylene.

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**Reaction of dialkyl hydrogen phosphites with aldehydes and ketones. XV.  
Esters of 2-hydroxy- $\alpha$ -acetoethylphosphonic acid.**

V. S. Abramov and L. Sh. Belokon. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst. im. S. M. Kirova, 23, 91-6 (1957). Cr. Zhur. Obshchey Khim. 25, 1013 (1955).

Heating equimolar mixture of  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$  and  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3$  in sealed ampul on a steam bath 10-12 hrs. until the values of  $d$  and  $n$  became stable gave after distn. the following esters: 51%  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3$ ,  $b_4^{20} 116^\circ$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4530$ ,  $\lambda_{D20} 1.2391$ ; 55% di- $\text{Et}$  ester,  $b_4^{20} 120^\circ$ , 1.4450, 1.1405; 26.6% di-iso- $\text{Pr}$  ester,  $b_5^{20} 115^\circ$ , 1.4410, 1.1211; 84% di- $\text{Bu}$  ester,  $b_6^{20} 142^\circ$ , 1.4480, 1.0641; 80% di-iso- $\text{Bu}$  ester,  $b_3^{20} 131^\circ$ , 1.4450, 1.0513. Addn. of  $\text{ROMe}$  to the mixture failed to show any catalytic effect, and for this reason the reactions were run without a catalyst. Use of 2 moles  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3$  in this reaction resulted in recovery of 50% of the latter and gave 67-70% esters identical with the above; a small undistillable residue remained, but it was impossible to isolate any products of addn. of 2 moles of the ester to the dicarbonyl compound.

**XVI. Esters of 2-hydroxy-4-oxo-2-pentylphosphonic acid.**

V. S. Abramov and F. I. Makhmudova. Ibid. 97-101.

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Heating equimolar mixtures of  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$  and  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3$  in sealed ampuls on a steam bath 20-60 hrs. until the values of  $d$  and  $n$  became constant, yielded the following esters ( $\text{ROMe}$  failed to show any catalytic effect on the reaction): 2%  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3)_2$ ,  $b_5^{20} 107^\circ$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4530$ ,  $\lambda_{D20} 1.1877$ ; 27% di- $\text{Et}$  ester,  $b_3^{20} 114-5^\circ$ , 1.4450, 1.1019; 14% di-iso- $\text{Pr}$  ester,  $b_5^{20} 115-6^\circ$ , 1.4480, 1.0542; 18% di- $\text{Bu}$  ester,  $b_6^{20} 159-40^\circ$ , 1.4490, 1.0278; 21% di-iso- $\text{Bu}$  ester,  $b_4^{20} 137-5^\circ$ , 1.4470, 1.0153. The molar refractions of the products approached the calcd. values for the enolic form  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3)_2$ , and titration with bromide-bromate soln. showed unsatn. of 30-40%. The products gave uncrytallizable products with  $\text{PhNHNH}_2$ ; hence the existence of carbonyl groups was uncertain. The esters showed signs of some decompr. during distn.

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Reaction of dialkyl hydrogen phosphites with aldehydes and ketones. XVII.  
 Tertiary-trichlorobutyl 1-trichloromethylcyclopentyl esters of substituted  
 $\alpha$ -hydroxymethylphosphonic acid.

V.S.Abramov and V.K.Khairullin. Trudy Kazan.Khim.Tekhnol.Inst. im. S.M. Kirova, 23, 102-4(1967). Cf. this J. 23, 90(1967).

Keeping equimolar mixture of  $(\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OMe}_2)\text{COCl}_2$  (I) and an aldehyde or ketone in sealed ampul up to 424 hrs. results in addn. yielding the following esters which were purified by crystn. from EtOH:  $(\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2)\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  (R and R' shown resp.): H, Me, 60%, m.122-5°; H, Et, 55.6%, m.126-7°; H, Ph, 76.2%, m.125-6°; H, iso-Bu, 54.5%, m.134-5.5°; H, Ph, 78%, m.133-3.5°; H, p-MeC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, 90%, m.142-4°; H, p-HOC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>, 52.9%, m.150-1°; Me, Me, 79.2%, m.134-6°;  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2)$ , 66.6%, m.160-1°;  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}(\text{COCl})_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OCMe}_2\text{COCl}_2)\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ , 72.5%, m.166-7°. The reaction was most rapid with BuI and p-MeC<sub>6</sub>H<sub>4</sub>CHO, most slow with Me<sub>2</sub>CO and cyclopentanone.

Mechanism of the Arbuzov rearrangement. V. Reaction of esters of bromo substituted carboxylic acids with phosphites. *Routine organophosphorus*  
 V.S.Abramov and Shara Pall. Trudy Kazan.Khim.Tekhnol.Inst. im. S.M.Kirova, 23, 105-10(1967). Cf. Zhur.Obshehoi Khim.20, 2014(1966).

Keeping  $\text{BrCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$  with  $(\text{RO})_3\text{P}$  ( $\text{R}=\text{Et}$  or  $\text{Bu}$ ), or  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$  and  $(\text{RO})_3\text{P}$  ( $\text{R}=\text{Et}$ ,  $\text{Bu}$ , iso-Bu, Ph) in ampals at room temp. until the values of n and d became constant resulted in reaction of the 2nd ester only; the 1st bromo ester required heating to 150-50°. Thus were obtained: 80%  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$ , b<sub>1</sub>16188-9°, n<sub>D</sub><sup>20</sup>1.4308, d<sub>40</sub>1.0942; 81%  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$ , b<sub>1</sub>130-41°, 1.4337, 1.0510; 70%  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{Et}$ , b<sub>2</sub>130-1°, 1.4332, 1.1582; 81% di-Bu ester, b<sub>2</sub>197-8°, 1.4246, 1.0621; 80% di-iso-Bu ester, b<sub>2</sub>199-90°, 1.4226, 1.0641; 70% di-Ph ester, m.103-4°. Heating was necessary to complete the prepn. of the latter group of products.  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}$  (22.8 g.) and 16.8 g.  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{BrCO}_2\text{Et}$  gave an exothermic effect on mixing and after 6 days gave 61% Et cinnamate;  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}$  gave a similar result.  $(\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2\text{Et})_2$  (from di-Me malonate) and  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  gave 92% di-Me fumarate;  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}$  gave the same result

while  $(\text{CHBrCO}_2\text{Et})_2$  (from di-Et maleate) and  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  also gave only BuBr and a non-P contg. product,  $b_{13}^{104-5^\circ}$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.4570$ ,  $d_{20}^o 1.0915$ . Reaction of  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  with  $(\text{CHBrCO}_2\text{Me})_2$  (from di-Me fumarate) gave di-Me fumarate;  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  also gave the same product;  $(\text{CHBrCO}_2\text{Et})_2$  (from di-Et fumarate) and  $(\text{EtO})_3\text{P}$  gave EtBr and a non-P contg. product,  $b_g^{97-8^\circ}$ , 1.4414, 1.0666, while  $(\text{BuO})_3\text{P}$  gave BuBr and a product,  $b_{11}^{100-1^\circ}$ , 1.4418, 1.0660. These reactions were decidedly exothermic and fail to yield organo-P derive. Attempts to isolate the intermediate products of Arbusov reaction were unsuccessful.

Action of carbon tetrachloride on mixed alkyl aryl esters of phosphorous acid.  
G. Kamai and F.M. Kharasova. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst. im. S.M. Kirova, 23, 122-6 (1957).

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Reaction of  $\text{PhOPCl}_2$  or  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{PCl}$  with desired ROM in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  in the presence of  $\text{PhNHMe}_2$  or pyridine gave: 36.6%  $\text{PhOP}(\text{OMe})_2$ ,  $b_{13}^{105^\circ}$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.4940$ ,  $d_g^o -$ ,  $d_{20}^o 1.1210$ ; 23.3%  $\text{PhOP}(\text{OEt})_2$ ,  $b_{11}^{111-12^\circ}$ , 1.4688, 1.0648, 1.0630; 45%  $(\text{iso-PrO})_3\text{POPh}$ ,  $b_{10}^{117-8^\circ}$ , 1.4823, 1.0668; 25.1%  $\text{PhOP}(\text{OPr})_2$ ,  $b_{11}^{122-3^\circ}$ , 1.4666, 1.0630; 47%  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCMe}_2$ ,  $b_{11}^{169.5-70.5^\circ}$ , 1.5568, 1.1665; 1.1645; 30.3%  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}$ ,  $b_{10}^{186-7^\circ}$ , 1.5515, 1.1497, 1.1321; 61.6%  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCH}_2\text{Ph}$ ,  $b_{14}^{107.5-8^\circ}$ , 1.5236, 1.2086, 1.1674.. Heating 4.0 g.  $(\text{iso-PrO})_3\text{POPh}$  with 0.64 g. S at 100° gave  $(\text{iso-PrO})_3\text{P}(\text{S})\text{OPh}$ ,  $b_{13}^{151-1.5^\circ}$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.4995$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.5005$ ,  $d_g^o 1.1104$ ,  $d_{20}^o 1.0932$ ; similarly were prep'd.: 62%  $(\text{PrO})_3\text{P}(\text{S})\text{OPh}$ ,  $b_{13}^{147-8^\circ}$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.5052$ ,  $d_g^o 1.1212$ ,  $d_{20}^o 1.1040$ ; 45%  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{P}(\text{S})\text{OCMe}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}$ ,  $b_{13}^{102-5^\circ}$ , 1.5631, 1.2370, 1.2095; 91%  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{P}(\text{S})\text{OCN}_2\text{Ph}$ , m.62.5-3.5°. Refluxing 7.6 g.  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{POPh}$  with 7 g.  $\text{CCl}_4$  7 hrs. gave 100% EtCl and 46%  $\text{CCl}_3\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OMe})(\text{OMe})$ ,  $b_{13}^{125-6^\circ}$ ,  $d_g^o 1.3670$ ,  $d_{20}^o 1.3460$ ,  $n_d^{20} 1.5163$ . Heating 10 g.  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{POPh}$  and 7 g.  $\text{CCl}_4$  in ampul 10 hrs. at 160-180° gave  $(\text{PhO})_3\text{POCl}$ . Heating 24.5 g.  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCH}_2\text{Ph}$  and 15 g.  $\text{CCl}_4$  32 hrs. at 160-5° gave 13 g. product,  $b_{13}^{219-48^\circ}$ , which gave unstatec yield of  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OPh})_2$ ,  $b_{13}^{219-21^\circ}$ , m.67-8°, which hydrolysed to the free acid, m.165-6°. Similarly  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}$  gave crude  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2\text{P}(\text{O})(\text{OPh})_2$ ,  $b_{13}^{172-}$

and

Action of carbon tetrabromide on acid and neutral esters of phosphorous acid  
 G. Kanai and F.M. Kharrasova. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst. im. S.N.  
 Virova, 23, 127-32(1957).

To 9 g.  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})$  in 10 ml.  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  was added with cooling 33.1 g.  $\text{CBr}_4$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$   
 (exothermic reaction) and the mixture was distd. yielding some 20 g.  $\text{CHBr}_3$   
 as the sole distillable product; presumably the reaction also gave  $(\text{MeO})_2-$   
 $\text{POBr}$ . Similarly  $\text{CBr}_4$  and  $(\text{EtO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})$  gave  $\text{CHBr}_3$  as the sole identifiable  
 product. Addn. of 21.9 g.  $\text{CBr}_4$  to 16.6 g.  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{P}$  (vigorous reaction) gave  
 10.9 g.  $\text{StBr}$  and considerable amount of undistillable material;  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{P}$   
 reacted similarly. Heating 15.5 g.  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{P}$  with 16.6 g.  $\text{CHBr}_3$  in sealed tube  
 under  $\text{CO}_2$  6 hrs. at  $100-20^\circ$  gave 42.5%  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POBr}$ ,  $n_{13}^{20}$  198-200°,  $n_{45-75}^{20}$ ,  
 which must be stored under an inert gas. Addn. of 12.9 g.  $\text{CHBr}_3$  in  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  to  
 7.85 g.  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{POP}$  with cooling gave  $\text{MeBr}$ ,  $\text{CHBr}_3$  and crude  $(\text{MeO})_2\text{POBr}$ ,  
 $b_{3115-25}^{20}$ ,  $n_{D}^{20}$  1.5050,  $d_{45}^{20}$  1.2162, in 8.6% yield. Similarly 14 g.  $\text{MeOP}(\text{OPh})_2$   
 and 18.5 g.  $\text{CBr}_4$  in sealed tube 7 hrs. at  $120^\circ$  gave a low yield of  $(\text{PhO})_2-$   
 $\text{POBr}$ ,  $b_{3191-200}^{20}$ ,  $n_{D}^{20}$  1.5705,  $d_{45}^{20}$  1.5042,  $n_{45-75}^{20}$  (after prolonged standing).  
 Similarly  $\text{EtOP}(\text{OPh})_2$  and  $\text{CHBr}_3$  gave  $\text{StBr}$  and some crude  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POBr}$ ;  $\text{CHBr}_3$  and  
 $\text{PhCH}_2\text{OP}(\text{OPh})_2$  gave  $\text{PhCH}_2\text{Br}$  and  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POBr}$ . The necessary phosphites were  
 prep'd. by reaction of the respective chlorides with  $\text{NaH}$  in the presence of  
 pyridine.  $\text{PhOP}(\text{OMe})_2$ ,  $b_{18}^{20}$  86°,  $n_{D}^{20}$  1.4940,  $d_{45}^{20}$  1.1242;  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POBr}$ ,  $n_{11}^{20}$  199.5-  
 $200.5^\circ$ , 1.5568, 1.1643;  $(\text{PhO})_2\text{POEt}$ ,  $b_{12}^{20}$  169.5-70°, 1.5488, 1.1542;  $(\text{PhO})_2-$   
 $\text{POCH}_2\text{Ph}$ ,  $b_{14}^{20}$  197.5-8°, 1.5556, 1.1674.

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Addition of neutral esters of phosphorous acid and phosphorous acids to conjugated systems. III. Reaction of trialkyl phosphites with cinnamic, maleic and pyruvic acids.

G. Kamai and V.A. Kukhtin. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst., im. S.M. Kirova, 23, 133-7 (1957). Cf. Doklady Akad. Nauk SSSR 109, 91 (1956).

Heating 10 g.  $(Et_2O)_3P$  with 8 g.  $PhCH_2CO_2Et$  4 hrs. at  $120^\circ$  gave 9.1 g. (80.5%)  $(EtO)_2P(O)CH_2CO_2Et$ ,  $b_1 180-90^\circ$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4906$ ,  $d_4^{20} 1.1199$ . No reaction took place at room temp. after even very prolonged period. Similarly were prep'd.: 51%  $(PrO)_2P(O)CH_2CO_2Pr$ ,  $b_4 196-7^\circ$ , 1.4938, 1.0219; 37.1%  $(BuO)_2P(O)CH_2CO_2Bu$ ,  $b_2 208-9^\circ$ , 1.4886, 1.0682. To 11 g. maleic acid in dioxane there was added dropwise 16 g.  $(Et_2O)_3P$  in  $Et_2O$  with cooling at  $50^\circ$  or below; after distn. there was obtained 4.7 g. (17.5%)  $(EtO)_2P(O)CH_2CO_2Et$ ,  $b_{0.5} 143-8^\circ$ , 1.4390, 1.1446; similarly was prep'd. 19.2%  $(PrO)_2P(O)CH_2CO_2Pr$ ,  $b_1 137-8^\circ$ , 1.4348, 1.0436. If cooling is omitted in this reaction, the temp. rises to  $90^\circ$  and violent evolution of  $CO_2$  takes place, yielding a thoroughly decomposed mass. Even in dioxane- $Et_2O$  soln. as above, some decompr. and loss of  $CO_2$  takes place; the products suffer some decompr. during distn. Reaction of  $(RO)_3P$  with Et H maleate is similarly violent and it was impossible to isolate any definite reaction products. To 32 g.  $(Et_2O)_3P$  in  $Et_2O$  there was added 17 g. pyruvic acid (exothermic effect); distn. of the mixture gave 23.5 g.  $(EtO)_2PO_2$ . It is suggested that  $(RO)_3P$  and unsatd. monobasic acids yield intermediates such as  $(RO)_2P^+OCH_2C(OH)O^-$  and  $(RO)_2POC(O)CH_2C(OH)O^-$ , while unsatd. dibasic acids react similarly at one carboxyl group. Pyruvic acid reacts so violently with  $(MeO)_3P$  that the decompr. sets in directly.  $(EtO)_2P$  failed to react with  $CH_3COCH_3$  even after 20 hrs. at  $120^\circ$ .

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## Propargyl esters of alkylphosphorous acids.

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To 15.9 g. dry pyridine, 14.1 g.  $\text{Bu}_3\text{OCH}_2\text{OH}$  and 100 ml.  $\text{HgO}$  was added with cooling 20 g.  $\text{BuPCl}_2$  in  $\text{St}_2\text{O}$ ; after gradual heating to reflux for 3 hrs. the mixture was filtered and distd. under  $\text{CO}_2$  yielding  $\text{BuP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})_2$ ,  $b_g 145-7^\circ$ ,  $d_0^{12} 1.0406$ ,  $n_D^{12} 1.4949$ ; similarly were prep'd.  $\text{EtP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})_2$ ,  $b_g 126-7^\circ$ , 1.0801, 1.5015;  $\text{PrP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})_2$ ,  $b_g 136-4.5^\circ$ , 1.0898, 1.5001. All these esters readily react with  $\text{St}_2\text{O}_2$ . Treatment of the Pr member with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  resulted in exothermic reaction which gave  $\text{EtCOOC}_2\text{Cl}$  as the sole identifiable product. Similarly, 18.2 g.  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2\text{OH}$ , 49.6 g. pyridine and 25 g.  $\text{BuPCl}_2$  in  $\text{St}_2\text{O}$  gave 64%  $\text{BuP}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)_2$ ,  $b_{11}^{20} 90-100^\circ$ ,  $d_0^{20} 0.9540$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4550$  (this reacted readily with  $\text{CO}_2$ , yielding  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2\text{OH}$  and unidentified substance,  $b_{10}^{145-55^\circ}$ ). The esters of  $\text{P}^{\text{III}}$  readily add  $\text{Ox}$ . The necessary  $\text{RCl}_2$  were prep'd. from  $\text{R}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{POCl}_3$ :  $\text{EtCl}_2$ ,  $b_{25}^{25^\circ}$ ,  $d_0^{20} 1.2405$ ,  $n_D^{20} 1.4930$ ;  $\text{PrCl}_2$ ,  $b_{15}^{43^\circ}$ , 1.1664, 1.4948;  $\text{BuCl}_2$ ,  $b_{20}^{56^\circ}$ , 1.1341, 1.4838.

## Structure of phosphorous acid and its derivatives.

G.D. Troitskaya. Trudy Kazan. Khim. Tekhnol. Inst. im. S.M. Kirova, 23, 238-43 (1957). It is suggested that  $(\text{RO})_3\text{P}^{\text{V}}$  in eq. soln. exist largely in the  $\text{P}^{\text{V}}$  tauto-meric form and that both such esters and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  in eq. medium suffer a form of Arbuzov rearrangement yielding the  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{H}$  or  $(\text{RO})_2\text{P}(\text{O})\text{H}$  forms from the normal  $\text{P}^{\text{III}}$  structures. Heating 0.5 g.  $\text{K}_3[\text{PtCl}_4]$  and 1.1 g.  $(\text{MeO})_3\text{P}^{\text{V}}$  in sealed ampul with direct flame followed by cooling of the soln. and addn. of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , gave colorless  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OMe})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OMe})_2\text{O})_2]$ , m.165°. Similarly was prep'd.  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{O})_2]$ , m.34-5°;  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OPr})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OPr})_2\text{O})_2]$ , m.36-7°;  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{O})_2]$ , viscous oil. Heating 0.5 g.  $\text{K}_3[\text{PtCl}_4]$  in 3-4 ml.  $\text{HgO}$  with 1.4 g.  $(\text{MeO})_3\text{P}^{\text{V}}$  as above gave  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OMe})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OMe})_2\text{O})_2]$ , m.94.5-5°; similarly was prep'd.  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OPr})_2\text{HO})_2\text{Cl}_2]$  from  $(\text{PrO})_3\text{P}^{\text{V}}$ , and  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{HO})_2\text{Cl}_2]$  and more sol.  $[\text{Pt}(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{HO})_2(\text{P}(\text{OBu})_2\text{O})_2]_2$  from

(BuO)<sub>2</sub>HO. Evidently the reactions performed under anhydrous conditions and those run in presence of H<sub>2</sub>O yield substances which are isomeric with each other, as their physical constants differ, but composition is the same. Heating 0.6 g. H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> with 0.5 g. K<sub>2</sub>[PtCl<sub>4</sub>] in open flame (without compn. point) gave much HCl and after 0.5 hr. gave a yellow product. Cooling of PtCl<sub>4</sub> on cooling gave unreacted K<sub>2</sub>PtCl<sub>4</sub> and 2 products: a colorless soln. of alc. sol. colorless [Pt(P(OH)<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>P(OH)<sub>2</sub>O]Cl<sub>2</sub>. This is a yellow substance, insol. in EtOH, which was [Pt(P(OH)<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]Cl<sub>2</sub>. Use of excess of the amount of H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> fails to produce any of the yellow product above and only the colorless product is obtained; allowing a melt of K<sub>2</sub>PtCl<sub>4</sub> and H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> to stand 2-3 weeks yields a cream colored solid [Pt(P(OH)<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>P(OH)<sub>2</sub>O]<sub>2</sub>. To 0.5 g. K<sub>2</sub>[PtCl<sub>4</sub>] in 1-1.5 ml. H<sub>2</sub>O was added 1 g. H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>; heating resulted in decolorization of the soln. and after decomps. and addn. of EtOH there was isolated colorless [Pt(P(OH)<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(P(OH)<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]<sub>2</sub>.

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